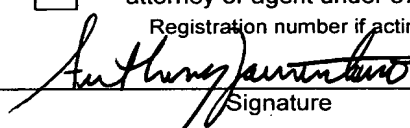


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) FY 2005 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)		Docket Number (Optional) TGZ-007	
Application Number 10/057354-Conf. #1973		Filed January 24, 2002	
For MICROFABRICATED SEPARATION DEVICE EMPLOYING A VIRTUAL WALL FOR INTERFACING FLUIDS			
Art Unit 1753		Examiner J. T. Barton	
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):			
		<u>Fee</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$120	\$ 60.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$450	\$
<input type="checkbox"/>	Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$1020	\$
<input type="checkbox"/>	Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1590	\$
<input type="checkbox"/>	Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2160	\$
 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. <input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. <input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 12-0080			
 I am the <input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor. <input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 38,220 <input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34. Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34 _____			
 _____ Signature Anthony A. Laurentano _____ Typed or printed name		_____ June 15, 2005 Date _____ (617) 227-7400 Telephone Number	
NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.			
<input type="checkbox"/> Total of 1 forms are submitted.			

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